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THE TRUNK MYSTERY.

No New Developments—Identified at Pittsburg.

NO CLUE.

Chicago, May 2.—The employes in the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago railway baggage room at Union depot can furnish no clue that promises to lead to the identification of the person or persons who shipped the trunk containing the dead body to Pittsburg. One of the men think it was brought here in an express wagon before noon by three Italians, and that it was the first trunk checked for the 3:15 train. This, however, is only supposition upon his part. Detectives here are making a thorough investigation of the mystery, but as yet have no information to impart.

IDENTIFIED.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 2.—No new developments in the trunk mystery which was developed at Union station in this city yesterday. The body has been lying at Flannery's undertaking rooms and during this morning a large number of Italians viewed it but no one could identify. This afternoon Mrs. Bonistalli, wife of a Smithfield street Italian confectioner, visited Flannery's and identified the remains as those of her brother, Pietro Caruso, a former peanut vendor of this city, who went to Chicago several years ago. Although the corpse is very much bloated and almost black she is quite sure that it is her brother. Antonio Sabino, who viewed the corpse a short time afterwards also recognized it as the body of Caruso. He stated he worked with deceased on a railroad near Chicago for a year. He was always regarded as a peaceable man and was never known to pick a quarrel with any one.

The Joint Assembly.

Springfield, Ill., May 2.—In joint assembly Morrison received 16; Logan, 2; scattering, 2.

The Specie.

New York, May 2.—The total exports of specie from this port during the past week were \$343,608; imports \$219,891.

No Trouble So Far.

Joliet, Ill., May 2.—Four companies of state troops, comprising 254 men, are now under arms. The striking stone cutters number 2,000 and still maintain a threatening attitude, but no trouble has yet happened.

Ordered Sold.

St. Louis, May 2.—In the circuit court today an order for the foreclosure of the mortgage and sale of the Harrison Wire company's works was made on application of the bondholders. The property ordered sold embraces the realty in which the works are situated, machinery, appliances, etc.

Lamont Strikers at Joliet.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—A special to the Journal from Joliet says: "A gang of 400 strikers, it is just reported, have left Lamont to join the Joliet strikers. Two companies of troops have gone to meet them and public excitement is great in consequence, as a battle is feared." It is thought that the strikers will not be so foolhardy as to make an attack or refuse to disperse when commanded to."

Will Pay the Operators.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—Notice has been given by the Western Union Telegraph company that it will pay its operators here for all extra work. This is in accordance with the custom in vogue until a few months ago and for the restoration of which the operators petitioned General Superintendent Clowry.

The Spring Wheat Crop.

Chicago, Ill., May 2.—The Times summarizes its special advices from the spring wheat belts of the west and northwest this morning as follows: Area sown to cereal to be considerably less than that reported last year; rumors of impending war came too late for farmers to prepare their ground for larger crops; seeding in the Red river valley is ten days earlier than last year, and the acreage has been greatly increased owing to the developments of the country and the beautiful yields of the past years. In Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin the unreasonable weather has retarded farm work. The acreage of spring wheat in these states will suffer a decrease of fully fifteen per cent, and in some counties the seed already planted will have to be plowed up, the water from swollen streams having soaked into the ground and destroyed the germ.

Pendleton Sails.

New York, May 2.—Hon. George H. Pendleton, United States minister to Germany, sailed this morning for Bremen on the steamer Werra. He was accompanied by his wife and two daughters. A number of his friends gathered at the dock to see them off. The departing minister and his family were in the best of health and spirits.

Capital Removal.

Wheeling, W. Va., May 2.—Wheeling is no longer the capital of West Virginia. The state achieves, government property and officers and their families left on the steamer Belle, Prince and Chesapeake for Charles on which under the provision of an act passed in 1870, by the legislature became the permanent seat of government for this state on and after to-day. This is the second time that this city has ceased to be the capital. It was made so when the state was formed. At the close of the war Charleston became the capital. In 1875 Wheeling was again made the capital city. Agreeing to furnish quarters free of cost so long as the capital should be at Wheeling. This building, a large and commodious one, now become the city hall. The steamers expect to reach Charleston tomorrow night. The new state house there is not yet completed, only a few of the executive offices being ready for occupancy.

SPORTING NEWS.

Base Ball.

LOUISVILLE.	
Louisville.....	8 Cincinnati..... 0
KANSAS CITY.	
Kansas City.....	14 Cleveland..... 8
PHILADELPHIA.	
Philadelphia.....	8 Providence..... 2
MILWAUKEE.	
Milwaukee.....	7 Toledo..... 4
DETROIT.	
Detroit.....	10 Buffalo..... 4
PITTSBURG.	
Pittsburg.....	3 St. Louis..... 2
ST. LOUIS.	
St. Louis.....	1 Chicago..... 16
NEW YORK.	
New York.....	2 Boston..... 1
Metropolitans.....	8 Brooklyn..... 2

The London Races.

London, May 2.—The race at Sandown park for the Escher stakes, a midweight handicap, was won by Lord Durham's three year old bay colt, Redskin; Mr. Hibbert's five year old brown horse, St. Vincent, was second and the Duke of Westminster, a six year old chestnut horse, Whipper, in third. There were eight starters.

The Nashville Races.

Nashville, Tenn., May 2.—There was a very large attendance at the races to-day and the weather was bright and cool.

First race—purse of \$200; Kink Kyle won by a length and a half, from Boulevard, second; Stanford Keller third. Time 1:49.

Second race—Kennesaw stake for three year old fillies, \$25 entrance, \$15 forfeit; \$600 added; \$100 to second; one mile; Lady of the Lake won by a neck; Eileen second; Germania third. Time 1:37.

Third race—Selling, 4 mile heats, purse \$300; Bineon won first heat, Piffler second and third heats and the race. Time, first and second heats, 1:19; last heat 1:20. Bineon first, Romance second and Molk third in the first heat; second heat, Piffler first, Romance second and Bineon third.

Fourth race—Jackson stakes, two year old colts, \$25 entrance, \$15; \$400 added; \$50 to second; dash of a half mile; Stony Batter won; Farrell second; Gallatin third. Time 5:14.

Johnson vs. Kittleman.

Harper, Kansas, May 2.—The counter challenge of H. M. Johnson has been heeded by Mr. Kittleman, who informed a press reporter to-day that he would deposit a \$200 forfeit with the Cincinnati Enquirer if Mr. Johnson would do likewise. Kittleman says he will allow Mr. Johnson \$200 traveling expenses so that he can bring his backers and one of the judges with him if he so desired, and that while the party remained in Harper they would receive just as courteous entertainment as could be had at Cincinnati. Kittleman prefers a race for three thousand or five thousand, but will agree to any amount above one thousand dollars. Harper is a city of 5,000 inhabitants, well governed and law abiding, so that Johnson need have no fear of unfairness about the races. Special railroad transportation will be secured and a crowd of fully 10,000 would witness the race. If Johnson means business Kittleman will cover any fair agreement.

WASHINGTON.

APPOINTMENTS.

Washington, May 2.—The comptroller of currency to-day appointed Kent Hayden, of Omaha, to be national bank examiner. He will be assigned to the district of Kansas and Nebraska.

The president to-day appointed J. Ernst Meiere, of Colorado, to be consul of the United States at Nagasaki, Japan.

The secretary of the treasury to-day appointed Thomas S. Farron, of South Carolina, and Alonzo B. Dickerson, of New Jersey, to be chiefs of divisions in the sixth auditor's office, vice William H. Gunnison, of Maryland and Thomas E. Woods, of Illinois, suspended.

The president to-day appointed the following presidential postmasters: E. H. Porter, at Bowling Green, Ky., vice Wm. E. Hobson, resigned; Wm. Weeks, at Wanson, Ohio, vice C. E. Guilford, commission expired; James McKenna, at Esquehanna, Pa., vice Isaac Jones, commission expired; John R. Marshall, at Fairbairn, Minnesota, vice E. E. Stevens, commission expired; Daniel W. Connelly, at Scranton, Pa., vice E. C. Fuller, commission expired; John H. Golden, at Menook, Ill., vice M. A. Cushing, resigned; Henry S. Howell, at Watertown, Wis., vice J. L. Monk, commission expired; John B. Larkin, at Pittsburg, vice Wm. A. McClary, resigned; Wm. Brown at Lake Geneva, Wis., vice Chas. A. Noyes, resigned.

John A. Oberly, of Wisconsin, has been appointed an inspector in the Indian bureau. Mr. Oberly was chairman of the Illinois democratic state convention.

E. O. Sykes, Aberdeen, Miss., appointed collector of internal revenue for Mississippi vice James Hill, colored.

TROUBLE IN ALASKA.

Lieutenant Commander Nicholas, commanding the Pinta, writes to the navy department from Sitka, Alaska, under date of March 31st, and says in part: "The Chilkats are somewhat uneasy and say they will have no more white men among them. There has been a great deal of hoochiee among them this winter. They have threatened the white men but have committed no overt act and probably will not, though they have no fear of the men-of-war that some of the rest have, owing to the fact that some of their villages are about seventy miles above the River Car and is only accessible by canals. The Russian citizen of this place and missionaries are having some trouble, owing to alleged encroachments of the missionaries on land claimed to be within the town limits, and has culminated in an injunction forbidding the missionaries to do further work until the case can be decided at the May term of the district court."

CURRENCY OUTSTANDING

The following is a statement of United States currency outstanding at the close of business, April 30:

Old demand notes.....	\$ 58,005
United States notes, all issues	346,681 016
One year notes of 1863.....	38,855
Two year notes of 1863.....	9,756
Two year Compound notes of 1863	20,250
Compound interest notes.....	204,970
Fractional currency, all issues	15,342,092 21
Total.....	\$363,354,668 21

A Suspended Bank.

St. Louis, Mo., May 2.—The banking house of F. Rybner & Co., of Highland, Ill., suspended two days ago, but so far no statement of its condition has been made and nothing definite as to its liabilities or assets is known. The opinion prevails, however, that the failure is a bad one and that the loss to depositors will be heavy. An assignment will probably be made.

Consolidated.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 2.—It is learned to-day that the Canada Southern and Blue fast freight lines have been consolidated, and the general offices will be removed from this city and Rochester to Detroit, with B. B. Mitchell as general manager. The office of the general manager of the Commercial express has been abolished and business will be done under the supervision of Thomas Fandy at Detroit.

Miners Dispersed.

St. Louis, Mo., May 2.—A Post-Dispatch special from Collinsville, Ill., says, Sheriff Holtz and posse arrived here this morning and compelled the striking miners to disperse. Their withdrawal, however, is regarded as only temporary and trouble may yet occur. The strikers had a committee posted a time mines at 5 o'clock and forced the workmen away. The latter went to work after the sheriff arrived. All is quiet now. Coal for the St. Louis market is now obtained from Indiana.

Slugged by Thugs.

Atchison, Kas., May 2.—Dr. Phillip Krohn, of this city, one of the state temperance organizers, delivered a speech a Leavenworth this afternoon pursuant to an appointment previously made. The court room, in which the meeting was held, was packed by the saloon people and their friends to the exclusion of all other classes. The temperance people in particular were crowded out, not over a dozen being able to gain admission to the room. The crowd began to show signs of disorder early in the meeting and the doctor's appearance was greeted with hisses and threats, but he was not deterred. He delivered his speech according to programme, and handled his subject and the mob which composed his audience with his accustomed fearlessness. After the meeting

DR. KROHN ATTEMPTED TO LEAVE

the room by the main exit, but was prevented and then tried a side door, when he was assaulted from behind by a ruffian named King, who struck the doctor with his fist. Police Judge Stinson here intervened and arrested King and Dr. Krohn escaped to the sidewalk. King afterward by the assistance of two confederates escaped from Stinson, and the three then followed Dr. Krohn to renew the attack, but the plucky preacher stood them off. A meeting had been arranged to be held at the Baptist church in the evening, but a committee from an organization known as the Leavenworth Protective Union

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of the church that the church building would be in danger of destruction if Dr. Krohn was allowed to speak, and the project was accordingly abandoned until some future occasion. The action of the whisky people is denounced by all good citizens of Leavenworth, and although the city has been regarded as one of the strong citadels of the anti-prohibitionists, their intemperance and violent action at to-day's meeting and the brutal and cowardly assault upon Dr. Krohn, have done a great deal toward solidifying the rapidly changing sentiment of the community in favor of the enforcement of the law.

A HOLOCAUST.

A Fire in New York Causes a Panic.

A Dozen Dead Bodies in the Ruins.

A Number of Others Badly Injured.

New York, May 2.—The Tribune says shortly after midnight this morning a fire broke out in the fifth story of a brick tenement house at 672 First avenue. Three alarms were soon sent out and two ambulance calls. The fire was discovered on the first floor in the rear of John Humphrey's restaurant. It extended to the roof rapidly through the air shaft and the house was soon filled with dense smoke which prevented the occupants of the upper stories from escaping. Humphrey's occupied rooms on the second floor over the restaurant. He and his child got out safely but Mrs. Humphrey jumped from the window and broke both her legs. On the same floor Elizabeth Henry was found dead. Edna Ruck and a child were rescued by the police. John Hannon, who helped carry Mrs. Humphrey across the street, said he saw a dozen dead bodies taken out of the building. The ambulance surgeon said fourteen people were taken from the house to Bellevue hospital and thought eight or nine of them were dead.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT

says at 1 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a room in the rear of John Humphrey's liquor store at 672 First avenue. The building is five stories high, the upper stories being occupied as a tenement house. The room spoken of was filled with trash of an inflammable nature and quickly burned up, filling the house with smoke. The tenants became panic stricken. Some jumped to the street from windows, and others rushed down stairs over each other and suffering injuries of a more or less serious nature. All the ambulances in the city were called to the spot. At 1:30 a. m. it was found that six lives had been lost and fourteen persons injured. The dead were John Humphrey, his wife, four months old child and servant girl, Mrs. Krepsch, a widow, Elizabeth Huley, aged 22, who jumped from the third story window. The wounded were three adult females, suffocated and suffering from burns. One had a broken knee, she having jumped from a top window, four men, two women, three boys and one girl, all suffocated and bruised. The fire was soon extinguished and the damage to the building was slight. Christina Koerner, aged 48, who lived on the fifth floor, also died from suffocation. Her son Albert, 16 years old, was suffocated and taken to the hospital. Her daughter, Pauline, aged 19, jumped from the window of her room, on the fifth floor and was missing up to 2 a. m. When the alarm was sent out the engines of the district were putting out a small fire, and it delayed the firemen somewhat in getting to First avenue.

When they did arrive they found the house surrounded by a great crowd and the dead and dying and wounded were lying on the sidewalk and in the halls and bed rooms. The cries of agony were heart rending. A general alarm was sent out and ambulance, doctors and police came to the scene in goodly numbers. The wounded were selected as rapidly as possible from the dead and conveyed to Bellevue hospital. In half an hour the fourteen wounded were lying on cots in the hospital and as many doctors worked near them, trying to restore them or alleviate the pain. Half of the patients seemed to be dying. The names of none but young Koerner could be learned.

RUSSIA AND ENGLAND

Still Trying to Come to a Settlement.

England Makes Overtures and Russia Accepts.

Other Foreign News of Considerable Interest.

Going Home.

Darmstadt, May 2.—Queen Victoria and Princess Beatrice have started for home.

On Bourse.

Paris, May 2.—Prices at the opening of the bourse to-day were firm, but closed weaker. Suez canal shares improved twenty-two francs.

Arrived at Holyhead.

London, May 2.—The steamer Abyssinia, from Liverpool April 27 for New York, before reported returning, disabled, arrived off Holyhead this morning in tow.

Making a Disturbance.

Panama, May 2.—One hundred and seventy rebels who escaped from Panama are recruiting and creating disorder in the village of Arragan. General Keys is now leaving with forces to disperse them.

A Speedy Council.

London, May 2.—A summoned cabinet council is being held this evening. It is said that important telegrams from Sir Peter Lumsden, the British commissioner and from Sir Edward Thornton, the British ambassador at St. Petersburg, were the cause of the speedy summons of the ministers to council.

Peace Assured.

St. Petersburg, May 2.—The German Gazette states that it is creditable informed that peace is assured. The present diplomatic action of England is a retrograde movement which she seeks to make as decently as possible. The Gazette's comment upon this information expresses itself as skeptical about the situation being so favorable as indicated.

England and Russia.

London, May 2.—Admiralty's arrangements provide for the immediate dispatch of 15,000 troops to India if needed. The government has ordered the governors of naval stations on the Mediterranean to send reports of what stores are needed and they will be immediately supplied. The government continues to engage fresh artisans to push work on the dock yards. Russian papers continue to repudiate the idea of submitting the Penjdeh affair to an inquiry or of referring the dispute to arbitration.

Will Sail at Their Leisure.

Toronto, Ontario, May 2.—A special to the Globe from London says the Canadian voyagers who have lately returned from service in Egypt will not be sent home in a special vessel, but will return independently and at their leisure. The imperial authorities have provided the men with special tickets good until used so that they can see the old country before they return home or sail at once if they desire to do so. The contingent now in London numbers eighty men.

Already Begun.

London, May 2.—The Standard says whether the reply of Russia be pacific or not it must be borne in mind that the struggle of Russia and England for supremacy in Asia has begun. The orientals have been eyes and judge a great deal by appearances. The struggle is not one of frontiers or of fine points, but of international morality. It is competition for influence, credit and prestige, and the side that sacrifices its prestige throws away wantonly the weapon that in Asiatic warfare is found to be of keenest edge and of the most trusty temper.

England and Turkey.

London, May 2.—The publication of the report that an agreement had been concluded between England and Turkey under the terms of which the former power secures free passage for her ships through the Dardanelles in the event of war with Russia, and the porte secures the occupation of Soudan, by way of Suakin and the restoration of Cyprus in five years from date, has caused some concern among English diplomats. Many politicians affect a disbelief of the report on the ground of the excessive consideration given by England. The report, however, emanates from a source that has been found generally reliable, and is published to-day in several of the Paris papers.

The London Market.

London, May 2.—The Economist says money during the week was extremely quiet and rates were weak. The settlement caused no increase in demand. Stocks were feverish and excited. Home funds were active, and there were large dealings. Consols and foreign funds fluctuated with rumors of peace or war, and the exigencies of the market, Russians varying the most. At the close, however, the market was strong. Home securities were irregular. There is a large account open for a fall. American securities were steady, but business was limited.

Japanese Village on Fire.

London, May 2.—Fannakers, the Japanese village which has been on exhibition for sometime past at Albert Gate, Hyde park, is on fire and burning fiercely. The village consists of five streets of houses and shops, constructed and peopled by Japanese, who were to be seen engaged at their various occupations as in their own country. The roof of the hall has fallen in and the Japanese village is entirely destroyed. Soldiers are aiding the firemen in their efforts to save property and in keeping back the crowd that fills the surrounding streets.

A LATER REPORT.

1 p. m.—The Japanese village burned this morning by fire was located in the

rear of Humphrey hall, and had been enlarged only recently. It consisted of five streets and contained a temple, theatre, and houses wherein the villagers dwelt, and shops allied with goods from Japan. The village burned like tinder and was destroyed completely within one hour. A hundred natives of Japan occupied houses in the village. All escaped. The hall is still burning, and it is not thought any part of it can be saved. Fire apparatus from all parts of London is on the ground. The firemen are exerting themselves now to prevent the adjacent buildings from getting on fire.

4 p. m.—The fire in the Japanese building has been subdued. The damage to the building will amount to \$75,000. Other buildings were damaged to the extent of \$100,000.

CRIMES AND CASUALTIES

Still Raging.

Girardville, Pa., May 2.—Fire is still making headway in the mine at Preston colliery No. 3, where the explosion occurred yesterday. The mules have been taken out and preparations are being made to flood the mine.

Terribly Mutilated.

Kansas City, Mo., May 2.—The body of a young man, terribly mutilated by the cars, was found on the Missouri Pacific tracks this morning. The remains have not yet been identified.

Shot and Killed.

Elk Falls, Kas., May 2.—G. J. Eatherly shot and killed his father-in-law, John Messmore, at the house of the latter at this place last night. The trouble grew out of an old quarrel which was revived last night and resulted as above stated. Eatherly made good his escape and has not yet been captured.

A Restless Night.

New York, May 2.—Last night was the worst night with General Grant in two weeks. He slept only at short intervals until 6 this morning, at which hour he fell into a sleep which continued until 8 a. m. He then awoke again, but afterwards dozed until between 9 and 10 o'clock. When the doctor left the house he said the general's restless night might have been owing to cerebral excitation resulting from work on his book during the past two days. The weather, too, might have contributed to the restlessness of the patient. The throat and general physical conditions were not such as to have caused the uneasiness, and the doctor found explanation of the fact in the reasons stated. The weekly consultation will be held to-morrow.

The Medium Mott—The Pen.

Kansas City, May 2.—The case of the spiritualist medium, J. Harvey Mott, whose preliminary examination on the charge of obtaining money under false pretences has been in progress for several days, was settled this afternoon by the decision of Justice Clayton, who discharged the defendant.

THE PEN.

The commissioners appointed to locate a branch state penitentiary have been in the city for a day or two past surveying several proposed sites in this vicinity. They go from here to Fredericktown.

Indications.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—For the Missouri valley: Slightly warmer, fair weather followed by partly cloudy weather and local rains by Monday morning, lower barometer and southerly winds.

CHURCH SERVICES.

—The congregation of the M. E. church, south, of the vicinity of the Gilmore graveyard, about six miles from Marshall, on the Arrow Rock road, will build a \$2,000 frame church this summer.

—The work is going forward on the Christian church, in Marshall, and the auditorium will be completed this summer, we understand, though the basement, which is intended for Sunday school, etc., may not be finished.

—First Baptist church, corner of Fourth and Limestone streets, J. B. Fuller, pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Administration of the Lord's supper at the close of the morning service. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

—The pastor of the Ohio Street Methodist church will preach morning and evening. The subject will be "The Resurrection spiritually and philosophically examined." These two discourses will close the series on the immortality of man. Everybody cordially invited.

—Cumberland Presbyterian church, hall Fifth and Ohio streets, A. H. Stephens, pastor. Service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Missionary meeting at 3 p. m. Music under the direction of Prof. Charles.

PERSONAL.

—Rev. B. T. Lacy went to Hughesville last evening.

—Harry Snively, of Seven Mile, Ohio, was in the city yesterday.

—Rev. C. Herman went to Ionia via the Narrow Gauge yesterday.

—A. Roth, of the Pacific Express company, was in the city yesterday.

—Dr. Willis P. King will arrive home from the New Orleans exposition to-morrow.

—Hon. James H. Lay came up from Clinton and left for his home, Warsaw, on the Narrow Gauge yesterday.

—Mrs. Henry Snyder, of Lamar, is the guest of her relatives, the family of Col. J. W. Snyder, of this city, for a few days.

—Mr. E. A. Rogers, representing the well known firm of W. T. & E. A. Rogers, manufacturers of the "Rogers" wagon, and dealer in agricultural implements, Quincy, Ill., was visiting their agencies in this city and surrounding towns during the past week.